

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 15 as follows:

--In such an image forming apparatus, an electric cable is used for feeding and transmitting a signal, and the cable ~~which~~ is usually fixed to a ~~frame made of a~~ sheet metal frame of the apparatus body.--

Please amend the paragraphs starting at page 2, line 14, and ending at line 27, as follows.

--When this noise is superposed on an image signal, the image signal is distorted and an incorrect ~~no correct~~ image is formed.

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

An object of the present invention is to provide an image forming apparatus which prevents the damage of an electric cable by a ~~an~~ metal frame.

Another object of the present invention is to provide an ~~the~~ image forming apparatus in which the electric cable can be installed.

Yet another object of the present invention is to provide an ~~the~~ image forming apparatus as described in the claims.--

Please amend the paragraph starting at page 4, line 6, as follows.

--In such an image forming apparatus, as shown in FIG. 1, ~~[[a]]~~ first, ~~[[a]]~~ second, ~~[[a]]~~ third and ~~[[a]]~~ fourth image forming section Pa, Pb, Pc and Pd, which form images

of respective colors of yellow, magenta, cyan and black, are installed. The image forming sections Pa, Pb, Pc and Pd comprise photosensitive drums 17 to 17d which are image bearing bodies respectively, on which, after being evenly charged by charging means 18a to 18d, electrostatic latent images are formed by electrostatic latent image forming means 19a to 19d which use the light emitting diode as an exposure light source. After that, the electrostatic latent images are developed by the toners of various colors by developing means 20 to 20d, and the toner images are electrostatically transferred on a recording medium by transfer means 21a to 21d and then the toner images are fixed on the recording medium by heat and pressure of fixing means 12.--

Please amend the paragraphs starting at page 7, line 2, and ending at line 22, as follows.

--In view of the above, the present inventor has attached, as shown in FIG. 3, a holder 30 comprising a substrate 25 made of resin and an electro-conductive sheet 28 to the ~~the~~ [[a]] metal frame 21.

The electro-conductive sheet 28, as shown in FIG. 3 and FIG. 4A, is installed in such a manner as to go around from the ~~holding surface~~ side of the holder 30 to which the feed cable 24 is held ~~of the holder 30~~ to the side of the holder 30 that the metal frame 21 is contacted ~~contacting surface side of the holder 30~~ through a [[the]] feed cable pressing member 29. ~~29, so that~~ In this manner, the feed cable 24 held by the holder 30 can be electrically connected to the metal frame 21.

When constituted in such a manner, the feed cable 24 is not brought into contact with the metal frame 21 and therefore is not damaged by the edge of the metal frame 21. Further, since the feed cable 24 is grounded to the metal frame 21 through the electro-conductive sheet 28, the electric noises are removed and have no influence on the images. Furthermore, being made of resin, the substrate can be obtained in a desired shape and is inexpensive, compared to being made of metal. ~~comparing to a metal made.--~~